

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Letcher County, Kentucky****Trend of Fatalities, 1998-2002**

		1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	4	5	9	5	10
	Alcohol-Related	2	3	3	0	1
	Single Vehicle	1	4	2	3	5
	Non-Junction	2	5	8	4	10
	Intersection	2	0	1	1	0
	Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0	0
	Speeding Involved	1	2	0	1	1
	Pedestrians	0	0	0	0	1
	Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0	1
	Large Truck Involved	2	1	4	0	2
	Roadway Departure	1	5	7	3	4
	Passenger Car Occupants	3	3	4	3	1
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	0	2	3	2	4
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	0	0	2	0	3
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	3	5	9	5	8
	Motorcycle Riders	1	0	0	0	0

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

**Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2002**

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2002	5	3	2	0

**Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2002**

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2002

	2002			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	10	34	40.12	25
Alcohol-Related	1	82	4.01	87
Single Vehicle	5	34	20.06	41
Non-Junction	10	25	40.12	21
Intersection	0	0	0	0
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0
Speeding Involved	1	58	4.01	64
Pedestrians	1	23	4.01	16
Pedalcyclists	1	5	4.01	4
Large Truck Involved	2	21	8.02	19
Roadway Departure	4	58	16.05	77
Passenger Car Occupants	1	100	4.01	111
Light Truck/Van Occupants	4	28	16.05	25
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	3	3	12.04	5
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	8	37	32.10	38
Motorcycle Riders	0	0	0	0

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.